

## BIG BURRUS PITCHES ONE-HIT GAME, BLANKS CAMBRIA 8-0 IN SUNDAY CONTEST

Manager Malone's confidence in his home town hurling ace Burrus was not misplaced Sunday when the big fellow faced a battery of highly touted Cambria, Ill., baseball players. Burrus pitched no-hit baseball up to the seventh, and then allowed Brown a scratch hit to slightly mar the otherwise perfect afternoon. The locals pounded Simpson from the box in the 7th having collected 11 hits up to and including that frame, and then proceeded to get next to a youngster, Lee, for three hits and one run, winning the game in a walk 8-0.

The Cambria defense took a tumble on the first inning when Dowdy and Hudson pulled the old double steal gag and broke the ice with one run. Hudson trotted across the plate with the second tally when Bowman cracked out the third single of the frame. The visitors went down in 1-2-3 order in every inning except the second, sixth, seventh and ninth. In the second Smetzer muffed a throw from Burrus, allowing Elders to reach the first sack on an infield tap to pitcher. Elkins drew a walk in the sixth to break the 1-2-3 arrangement, and Brown in the next inning got on with a scratch hit. In the last inning, Mercer saw first, when Smoky Sutton, relief catcher, missed the third strike, and Brown drew a walk. Five Cambria players went to first during the game, and not one saw second base.

Burrus evidently took his game seriously for in the fourth, he proceeded to knock a five-gallon hole in Sensenbaur's gas tank for the only home run of the game. He drove Shorty Crain across the plate with his long knock to centerfield. Shadowens made a play for the ball, but fell and turned a complete somersault while the ball continued in the general direction of Cape Girardeau County.

In the last two frames, Malone and Coach Dudley substituted freely. Sutton relieved Bowman behind the plate, "Mighty" Ancell replaced Kinder at second, and incidentally starred in stopping a hot liner laid down by Brown, and Bob Mow, Jr., took Miller's place on the third sack. Bob received no chances.

Kindred replaced Dowdy in the fifth, got on first twice thru errors, but failed to score when Dudley promoted two attempted steals for putouts to close the game.

Hudson and Miller co-operated on the second double steal of the after-

noon in the seventh. Hudson scored. Cambria "looked bad", according to some fans. So does Sikeston look bad when they face class A pitching, as for instance at Osceola, Ark., against Slim Love. "Rabbit" Elkins, Mercer, Elders and Lavezzie are old heads of the game, and each one is a Smetzer when it comes to knocking the ball. Those fans who sat behind the plate and who could see what Burrus was offering over the plate, will not wonder what made the old stars look ragged. Whenever a veteran like Bowman admits that his moundman has "more stuff than anyone he ever caught", it explains in part at least the one-hit record of Cambria, Sunday.

The score: R H E  
Sikeston . . . . . 200 212 10-8 14-  
Cambria . . . . . 000 000 0 0 1 3  
The box score:  
Sikeston AB R H PO A E  
Kinder, 2b . . . . . 4 1 2 3 3 0  
Dowdy, cf . . . . . 3 1 1 0 0 0  
Ancell, 2b . . . . . 1 0 0 0 1 0  
Kindred, rf . . . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0  
Smetzer, 1b . . . . . 5 1 2 10 0 1  
Hudson, ss . . . . . 4 2 3 1 3 0  
Bowman, c . . . . . 4 0 1 10 0 0  
Sutton, c . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Miller, 3b . . . . . 4 0 1 1 2 0  
Swain, rf, cf . . . . . 3 0 1 0 0 0  
Crain, lf . . . . . 4 1 1 2 0 0  
Burrus, p . . . . . 4 2 2 0 2 0

Cambria AB R H PO A E  
Elkins, ss . . . . . 3 0 0 1 4 0  
Mercer, 1b . . . . . 4 0 0 14 0 1  
Brown, lf . . . . . 3 0 1 2 1 0  
Elders, rf . . . . . 4 0 0 0 0 0  
Shadowens, cf . . . . . 4 0 0 2 0 0  
Lavezzie, 2b . . . . . 3 0 0 4 1 0  
Biggs, 3b . . . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0  
Gruber, 3b . . . . . 2 0 0 2 2 0  
Sargent, c . . . . . 1 0 1 0 0 0  
Leek, c . . . . . 2 0 0 2 0 1  
Simpson, p . . . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0  
Lee, p . . . . . 1 0 0 0 1 0

38 8 14 27 11  
AB R H PO A E  
30 0 1 24 12 3  
Gleason notified Manager Malone shortly before noon Monday that they would be unable to fill the Sunday engagement here. An effort was being made to secure the all-star Memphis Frisco Club here for Sunday in place of Gleason. Malone indicated, however, that if Memphis was unable to play here the benefit game for Crain would be held on Sunday instead of Friday as stated above.

## GLENN FISHER ILL WITH ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS

Glenn Fisher, manager of the Missouri State Grain Inspection Bureau, became ill with an attack of appendicitis last week and is at present confined to his home. Mrs. Fisher is attending to his duties as grain inspector here in his absence. She was of the opinion Monday morning that Glenn would have to undergo an operation in the near future to correct his ailment.

Special assortment of hats @ \$1 each.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson and family drove to Patton Sunday and visited the former's mother.

A 4th of July celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Lacom, 520 Kendall Street, Sikeston. The following enjoyed the day: Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Lacom and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Marcus and children of Bagz City, Charles Early of Poplar Bluff, Mrs. L. Mays and daughter, Miss Ada, and Russell Frohawk of Matthews, Mrs. Ina Gesting and children. Among the good eats were barbecue pig, furnished by Mrs. L. Mays. Also ice cream and other refreshments.

## THE MEDLEYS TRIP HONEYMOON TRIP SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Duree Medley, recently married, started on a two-week combination business trip, vacation and honeymoon last Sunday night. "Pete" and his recently acquired bride will spend some time in Texas checking over a business proposition and will probably journey into Old Mexico on their honeymoon tour. In the absence of Manager Medley, O. W. McCutcheon, owner of the Sikeston showhouse, will be in charge.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson and son of Cape Girardeau and Byrne Sheppard and children, Harold and Dorothy of St. Louis, spent Sunday in Sikeston with Mrs. Robinson's and Mr. Sheppard's brother, J. N. Sheppard and family.

Mrs. Eddie Panoast, who has been visiting Mrs. Norman Davis, left Thursday night for Kansas City, where she was met by her husband, who is an engineer on the State Highway. He is the engineer for a project up near the State of Iowa.

## EX-GRID STAR OF MADRID SHOT IN BACK

Linton L. Carrigan, 20, former high school football star of New Madrid, is in St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau today suffering from a gunshot wound in his back sustained Friday afternoon in the bottoms near New Madrid.

Officers are holding Joe Montague, 30, as the man who fired the shot. He is being held in jail at New Madrid pending the outcome of Carrigan's condition.

Mystery surrounds the shooting. Montague told officers who lodged him in jail that it was an accident, but he fled after the shooting occurred and was taken to New Madrid by Wm. Henley, who had gone with Carrigan and Montague on a squirrel hunting expedition into the woods.

Henley told officers he was not present at the time of the shooting, but heard the report and saw the smoke. When he reached the scene, he found Carrigan wounded and Montague missing.

Carrigan was struck in the back with shot from the shotgun, and it is thought 40 or 50 shot lodged in his back and neck. His condition, while serious, is not critical and he will recover unless complications develop.

Carrigan in telling of the shooting said he and Montague and others had gone squirrel hunting. They went into Birdie Masterson's place on St. John's Bayou, he said, and when they came out, Montague said, "I am going to shoot a freeracker".

Before he could look around, Carrigan stated, he heard a report and felt the sting of shot from the shotgun, and felt blood when he put his hand to the back of his neck.

Sheriff A. F. Stanley, who investigated, found the automobile in which the men had gone hunting.

Carrigan, who after graduating from high school at New Madrid two years ago, attended the Murray, Ky. Teachers College last year, was in a Cape Girardeau hospital for several weeks last summer, for a time in a serious condition from a wound in his head inflicted when he was struck by a baseball bat during a ball game at Canolau. Charles Asa of Canolau was afterwards fined in connection with the incident.

Montague's parents are dead and he resides at New Madrid with a sister.

Carrigan's father is employed on a ferryboat at New Madrid.—Cape Missourian.

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Mrs. Ed Brannum attended the funeral of Mr. Fuller in Portageville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Stearns of Lilbourn are the parents of a baby daughter. Mrs. Stearns is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Campbell of this city.

Miss Alice Roth of St. Louis returned to her home Sunday afternoon after spending the 4th of July with her brother, Arnold Roth and family, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Rodas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wilson and son, Little "T" returned home Sunday evening, after a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brady at Little Rock, Ark. Jasper Wilson will remain in Little Rock until the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phelps have been here for several days the guests of Mr. Phelps' mother, Mrs. Grover Keller. Jack is with the Pickwick Bus Service and headquarters at Memphis, Tenn. They have one of the finest babes to be found anywhere. Jack graduated from the Sikeston High School and Westminster College at Fulton, Mo., and it was in Fulton that he met and wed his wife.

## FRISCO MEMPHIS TEAM TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY, GLEASON CANCELS GAME MONDAY

A phone message Monday morning shortly before noon from Gleason, notified Manager Tom Malone that Gleason would be unable to fill its engagement with the locals here next Sunday.

The Frisco Club, pitching Ray Meadows, who two weeks ago pitched for Sikeston against Osceola, was defeated by Sikeston June 15 by a score of 3-2, after the locals had trailed during eight innings. A ninth inning rally boosted the home team over the top to snatch a belated victory from the visitors.

Gleason gave no explanation for their action in cancelling the game. Malone is on a deal at present with Eddie Kerns, Cardinal youngster, who worked the Sikeston-Osceola all-star game last season. Fans here agree that Kerns pitched the best game of the season, and are anxious to see the youngster on the mound again for Sikeston. Definite announcement will be made Thursday if present plans mature.

A postponed benefit game for Tuffy Crain will be played on the home diamond next Friday evening, beginning at 4:30 o'clock, with Malden furnishing the opposition. Players on the Sikeston and visiting team have agreed to stand their personal expenses incident to playing the game here, so that the gross receipts can be turned over to the Crain family to help defray hospital and funeral expenses for the late gridiron and baseball star, Tuffy. Mayor Fuchs has requested that all stores close from 4 o'clock for the balance of the day, to assure a larger crowd at the game. "If everyone in town will talk up this benefit game, there is no reason for not turning over at least \$200 to the Crain family", said Fuchs in commenting on the game.

## APPRECIATE CHARLESTON RESPONSE TO LOCAL FIRE

The City of Sikeston and officials of the Scott County Milling Company are deeply grateful to the City of Charleston for the prompt response accorded the emergency call for help during the Monday noon-hour fire at Mill A. The City Council at its next regular meeting will instruct the clerk to send an official letter of thanks to the Charleston fire department and city officials, the milling company concurring, according to word received from Mayor Fuchs. Although the neighboring fire fighters were notified in time to assist materially in fighting the blaze, they made the run here in twenty-two minutes only to find that the fire had been placed under control.

J. N. Sheppard spent the Fourth in Cape Girardeau with relatives.

Entire stock of spring and summer hats at half price.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Wright of Memphis, Tenn., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Coleman.

E. E. Ward, of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., of Cairo, spent last week-end with his family, returning Monday morning.

Leonard McMullin and sons and Paul David Malone returned Saturday from a week's outing. The boys report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Tanner and little daughter, who came down from St. Louis the 4th of July, returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. C. E. Burrus of Seminole, Okla., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burrus of Sikeston and other relatives in Southeast Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Waller and Ralph Bailey spent the 4th of July at the Washout, near New Madrid.

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Mr. and Mrs. "Pete" Medley left Sunday evening for Campbell, where they spent the night with Mr. Medley's parents. From there they left for points in Texas and Mexico on their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carroll had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. Jas. P. Hendon and daughter of Flint, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weeks and family of New Madrid and John and Ed Brannum.

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## PURITIES FALL 8-6 IN JULY 4 BALL GAME

Although Lyle Gore, manager of the Cairo Purities had strengthened his club materially, the locals managed to bunch their hits and added an eight to six victory to their string.

Kindred, a Cape Girardeau youngster pitched for Sikeston and won the contest with remarkable fielding. Cairo used Ent, a local product who rates as one of the outstanding hurlers of the district.

Gore, who formerly played with the Sikeston team, starred in a spectacular double play. A back-hand stab pulled down a hard liner by Swain and the nervy second sack fell on second base for a double out.

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Mr. and Mrs. Homer York visited friends and relatives in Parma, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Malone joined the latter's parents on the 4th of July and enjoyed their dinner in the hills.

Miss Doris Gilbert of Memphis, Tenn., came up Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gilbert.

Mrs. Walter Clymer and daughters and Miss Alma Harris, all of St. Louis, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cy Harris.

Mrs. Dunn of Chicago is spending her vacation in Sikeston with her parents. Mrs. Dunn was formerly Miss Margaret Hanner.

Mrs. Tom McClure and children left Tuesday for the home of her mother in Canada, where they will spend the balance of the summer.

Mrs. S. P. Johnson of Marion, Mrs. Dale Johnson and mother, Mrs. Lucas of Akron, Ohio, arrived Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson.

B. L. Lacom returned to St. Louis Saturday to his work with the R. J. Blackburn, Inc., of St. Louis. Mr. Lacom is a son-in-law of Mrs. L. Mays.

Mrs. Ruth Malone, Mrs. Kathryn Johnson, Miss Hyacinth Sheppard and Little Miss Lavinia Moll spent Thursday night and Friday in Cairo, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moll and family.

Ben and David Blanton came in Friday afternoon for a visit with homefolks. Ben returned to Jefferson City Sunday morning, while David will remain until September 1 when he will return to Columbia for his last year at the University.

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## NOONDAY FIRE THREATENS MILL 'A' DAMAGE CONFINED AFTER STRUGGLE TO SHEDS

Fire originating in the barrel storage shed in the Scott County Milling Company yards threatened for an hour to reach Mill "A" proper. Damages will run into the thousands of dollars from the conflagration which consumed seven tin-roofed sheds including the main sack house, containing flour and burlap sacks and mill supplies.

Sikeston was disturbed during the noon hour shortly after twelve o'clock by continued blasts from Mill "A" whistle, and soon several thousand persons were at the scene watching the uphill fight against wind and flames. Virgil Shanks, foreman of one of the mill departments, noticed the flames in the doorway of the old coopeage shop now used to store empty barrels and miscellaneous articles. He made a dash for the power house and turned in the alarm. Shanks was later overcome by heat, and was in the hands of Dr. T. C. McClure and friends shortly after one o'clock.

W. C. Bowman, president of the milling concern, stated that the necessary shutdown would be temporary in nature and that "we will be grinding flour again as soon as possible". From engineers in the power plant, it was learned that the boiler and machines were not damaged, and that it was highly probable that the elevator and Mill "A" would again be running by nightfall Monday if not sooner.

The Scott County Milling Company plant is the largest industry in Sikeston and has one of the largest plants in the State located here.

Mr. Bowman paid a tribute to the dozens of regular and volunteer fire fighters who waded into the fight like veterans and prevented the blaze from reaching the main plant and elevator. The fireboys were working against odds. The flames started in the northwest corner of the yards and spread rapidly through the dry wooden buildings being fanned by a stiff wind from the northwest towards the huge mill proper. Only by directing their attack upon the main warehouse, and keeping two streams of water upon the roof of the adjoining power plant building were the flames checked before reaching the main building.

Soon after the alarm was turned in and when it appeared that the entire plant was doomed, calls were placed for Charleston and New Madrid fire trucks. The Charleston department responded but arrived too late to be effective.

## PRAYER MEETING FOR RAIN GOES UNANSWERED SUNDAY

Fifty or sixty Sikeston churchgoers gathered at the Baptist church after regular services at their respective churches Sunday night, and joined in a prayer meeting pleading for rain.

"Our plea was not answered directly", said Rev. A. C. Rudloff, pastor of the First Baptist church and promoter of the unique meeting, "but they did get a nice rain near Jackson and south of Sikeston, near Portageville."

Misses Ella and Della Harper were visitors to St. Louis, Sunday.

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E. E. Ward and family attended the Fourth of July celebration at Lilbourn with friends.

Mrs. Louis Kiersky, who has been on an extended visit in the South, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. L. Matthews spent Sunday in Caruthersville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thompson.

Little Miss Mary Alice Stanley of Parma is spending a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Homer York.

Mrs. Martin of Illinois is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young. Mrs. Martin was formerly Miss Grinstead of Cairo.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen drove to McLane, Ill., Sunday, accompanied by Mr. Allen's mother, where she will visit the balance of the summer.

Herschel W. Ward of Parma, assessor of New Madrid County, visited a few hours with his mother, Mrs. E. E. Ward and family, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stuppy and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ray have returned from Rector, Ark., where they spent their vacation with relatives and friends.

Mrs. T. N. Mathis and Mrs. F. H. H. Briggs entertained with a dinner July 4th, at the home of Mrs. Briggs, the occasion being the 18th birthday of their daughter and sister, Miss Juanita. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Limbaugh, Dr. and Mrs. Chester Limbaugh and little daughter, Betty and Mr. and Mrs. Miley Limbaugh spent the 4th of July in Marquand. S. J. Limbaugh returned with them and is visiting his son, R. E. Limbaugh and family.

## 4TH OF JULY BATTLE AT WHITE WATER CREEK

The editor of The Standard was one of 56 who enjoyed a picnic spread put on by the American Legion and the Woman's Auxiliary in the hills of Bollinger County July 4, and of 44 who remained for the supper spread. The place selected was beyond Lutesville and Marble Hill on White Water Creek where a pool of water 50x300 feet and 10 feet deep in one place, fed by a spring that kept the water as clear as crystal all the time. At Lutesville a truck was engaged that carried ice, 10 cases of soda and 5 gallons of ice cream to the selected place. Many of the party enjoyed a plunge in the pool before the matrons spread the cloth and placed the good things to eat. Soon after 12:00 o'clock, Capt. Wheatley called on the hungry army to fall in line and march. The second order was not necessary and the onslaught of the plates of fried chicken, baked ham and roast beef was appalling. Though the lines were frequently charged, more meat took their place. With the meat course, salads, slaw, pickles and olives, disappeared rapidly, closely followed by a final charge on the cakes and ice cream. Gallons of ice tea and cold water were dashed on the enemy and so closed the battle at noon.

With reformed lines and a slight weakening of chicken platters, the second battle of the day was fought but with fewer charges as the aggressors were greatly weakened by the heavy fighting at the noon hour. Sufficient food was held in reserve for another meal if desired. The round trip was made in good shape and good time and all who were in attendance were tired and satisfied.

## Young Peoples' Society To Meet

The Young People's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of their sponsor, Mrs. M. M. Beck. A book report on "Between the Americas" will be given by Miss Virginia Mount. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Bone and daughters, Misses Lillian and Janice, Mrs. Alice Edminson and Miss Lew Hall spent the Fourth in Eldorado, Ill., visiting with Mrs. Mary Hall and daughter, Carrie. Miss Lew Hall remained for a more extended visit.

# CLOSING NOTICE!!

Beginning Wednesday, July 9, the Cleaners of Sikeston will close their places of business at noon each Wednesday for the balance of the day during the months of JULY and AUGUST. Your cooperation in calling your cleaner Monday and Tuesday will be appreciated.

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**REJECTION OF HOOVER PROPOSALS EXPLAINED**

Washington, July 2.—Rejection of certain Hoover proposals by the Senate was attributed tonight by Senator Caraway, Democrat, Arkansas, to advocacy by the chief executive of "measures which a majority of the Senate, quite regardless of party, did not consider wise or expedient."

"Any other hypothesis," he said in a statement issued through the Democratic National Committee, "would have to be on the basis that the President is always right; that he is never actuated by political motives, and that he is always proof against pressure of interested parties."

"Unfortunately," he added, "election to office endows no man with infallibility."

Caraway said that "perhaps the silliest explanation of the inaction of the Senate is that the Hoover administration is that the United States Senate is motivated by a desire to spite the President."

"It would be just as logical," he insisted, "to urge that the President in attempting to force measures on the upper House of Congress is actuated by hostility towards the Senate."

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After the organization was perfected, the president appointed a committee on membership with instructions to endeavor to bring every colored man and woman in Scott County into the organization and work for the well being of the colored race.

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**Beauty Reflects Taste and Refinement**

A beautiful home appeals to the artistic appreciation of the family. It reflects the taste and refinement and good breeding of the neighbors about the occupants. The house is based largely on the exterior lines of the building and the character of the furnishings of the interior.

The family that is satisfied to live in an ugly, box-like house with the antiquated Victorian lines that were at once as lacking in good taste, so did, commonplace surroundings, generally evidence of similar natures. If the home has modern lines and an up-to-date appearance, the family is and by artistic fixtures, tastefully decorated room, well-arranged furniture and all the modern touches that are in vogue today, this desire is largely met.

**Must Be Comfortable**

Important as is beauty to the home owner and his family, the desire of bodily comfort is equally great.

When the home is lacking in those things that cater to the physical well-being of the individual, the home does not have that lure that is always associated with the word. The uncomfortable home is a mere sleeping and eating place—a place to be avoided rather than sought.

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**THIS WEEK IN MO. HISTORY**

Floyd C. Shoemaker  
Twenty-six years ago this week, the Democratic party held its national convention in St. Louis. The date was July 6-10, 1904.

It was the second time in succession that the Democrats had come to Missouri to nominate a national ticket and draw up a party platform the previous convention, in 1900, having been held in Kansas City.

It was the third time that the party had chosen St. Louis as its site. "The Coliseum opens its tenth, Fourteenth and St. Streets. It is also approached south through the Exposition building from the Olive street entrance."

"It is 318 feet long, 189 feet and 84 feet high. The vastness is covered by the long, untrussed roof without a pillar, other obstruction."

"Arrangements have been made to seat 10,840 persons in the Coliseum during the convention."

The convention, it will be remembered, Judge Alton B. Parker, nominated by the party, was defeated by Woodrow Wilson, who was elected President.

Parker's nomination was assured before the gathering, but the party was given by some that promised "the first very beginning," nevertheless, the situation, likened the Coliseum forms a part," according to the Post-Dispatch for July 3, 1904. "At that time, however," it adds, "what is now the Coliseum was the north have of the Exposition building."

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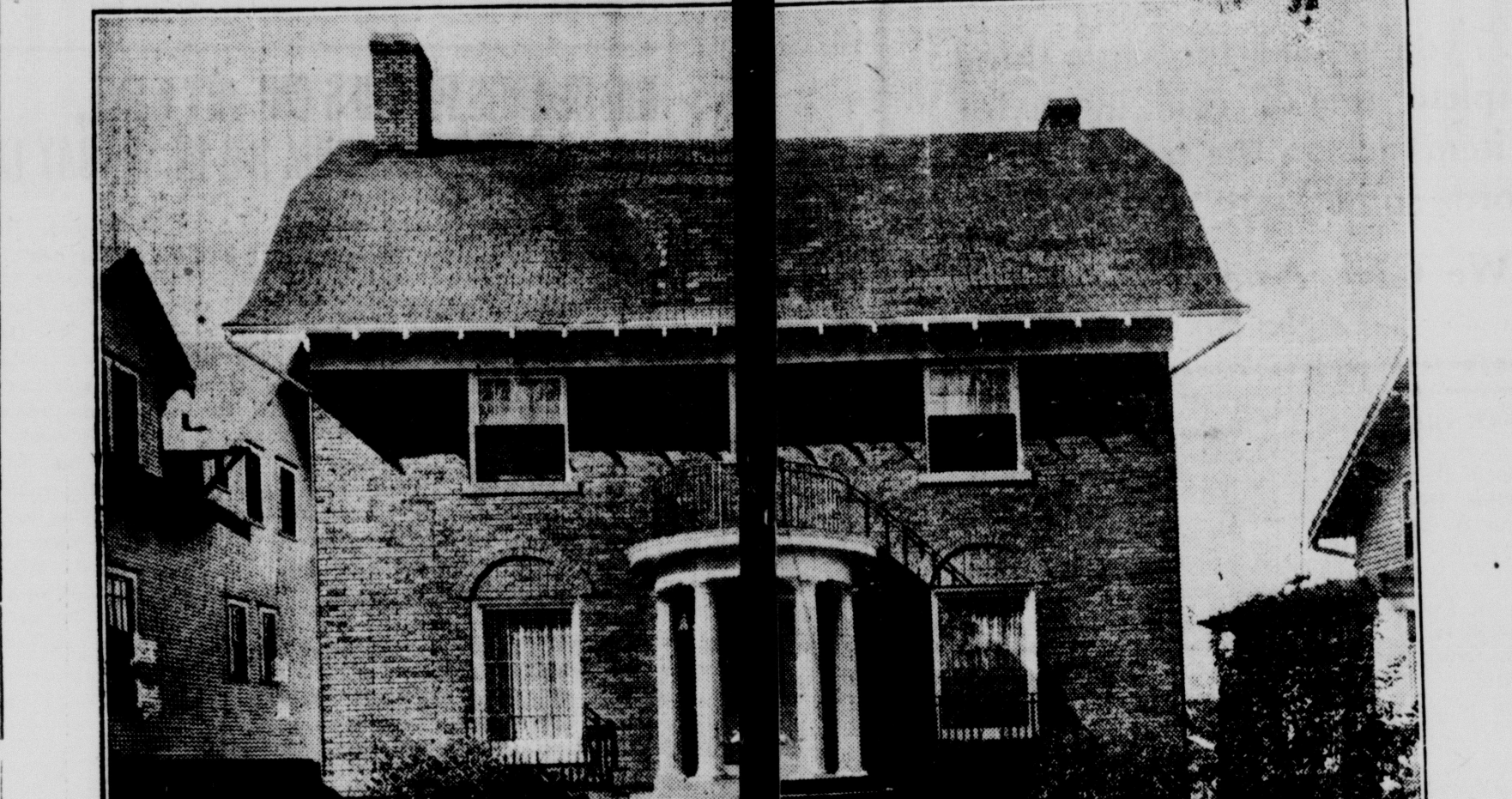
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## \* Charming Entrance Gives Spirit of Hospitality \*



When the old, deep shadow-producing porch was replaced by this attractive white pillar entrance substituted, the home took on the touch of modernization that lifts the residence to a new appeal. Note in the above illustration the touch of modernization that lifts the residence to a new appeal.

**You Still Need That Vestibule—It Prevents Tracking In**

In recent years there has been a tendency to eliminate the vestibule in the home. But the vestibule is a convenience of real, practical utility that should not be overlooked. One should be included in any new home. Here may be stored overcoats, raincoats, the umbrellas that are necessities during a part of the year. The vestibule saves the tracking of dirt into the interior—common practice if no place is provided for storage of rubbers and overcoats.

That vestibule should be made a double entry. Some of the modernized homes are making vestibule large enough to cover built-in hall seat with top opening on a convenient place for holding the rubber shoes and all the incidentals might be stored in an entry.

An umbrella stand, a wig mat, and a row of hooks upon which to hang hats and coats may be hung in the vestibule.

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## EXTERIOR CHANGES GIVE HOME NEW SPIRIT

New Facade Adds Touch of Distinction

The average person would be very well satisfied to live in the residence illustrated below. It is a solid, substantial appearing dwelling with a comfortable air of dignity and worth. To the casual passerby it is one of the better homes on the street.

This residence was built some ten or fifteen years ago when deep roof porches were still in vogue. It served its purpose admirably during the hot summer months when the family gathered here to enjoy the shade and to catch the passing breeze.

But today when automobiles are a common family possession, the members of the household prefer to jump into the car and go for a nice long ride when they endeavor to cool themselves. The big porch does not serve its usefulness of gone by years and it often deserted.

Times have changed and the porch in the opinion of many builders will soon be classified as obsolete. During the cooler months of the year the family remain indoors and again the big porch is not used. It is idle, gathering stray leaves and flying dust—is always in constant need of cleaning.

Deep porches have another objection. Their broad roof casts deep shadows within the house, making the rooms off the porch dark and gloomy.

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Washington, July 3.—Warning the American farmer to think in terms of a domestic market, the Department of Agriculture today predicted that the world wheat prices during the next seven years will average appreciably lower than those of the last seven.

The warning was made in connection with the 1930 world wheat outlook report, prepared a month earlier than usual so that Secretary Hyde and Chairman Leage might use it as a basis of argument in the new acreage reduction campaign to be instituted at Hastings, Neb., on July 7.

Extensive adjustment in wheat acreage, including substantial reduction in cost per bushel, must be made if wheat production is to be profitable to growers generally in the next six to ten years, the report said.

"This is necessary," it explained, "to meet intensified competition in world markets, due to increasing production in this and other countries without a corresponding increase in effective demand."

Showing that the trend of wheat acreage and production is toward expansion, the report recalled that the area sown in the Southwestern winter wheat States increased approximately 4,000,000 acres from 1924 to 1929. During the same period the area in Canada, Argentina and Australia combined increased more than 10,000,000 acres.

In this country the increase chiefly has been in a broad belt of the Western plains from Canada to the Mexican border, where no plow ever had turned a furrow before. Considered of more seriousness to the acreage reduction campaign is the report that farmers in one Kansas County alone, including that with large scale machinery they can raise wheat for 40 cents a bushel, contemplate seeding 100,000 acres more than last year.

Russia continues to be the threatening factor abroad. The report said that with the Soviet Government making strenuous efforts to introduce machinery and to improve crop methods, Russia is likely to re-enter the export field as an important competitor within the next decade. Prior to the war Russian exports averaged 104,000,000 bushels a year.

In the face of increasing exportable surpluses in Canada, Argentina, Australia and the Balkan countries, per capita consumption of wheat and wheat products shows no tendency to increase, the report said. Population is increasing at a retarded rate and further increases in purchasing power seem likely to be less notable in the next few years.

"Wheat prices in the United States," the report said, "are likely to share in the downward trend of the general price level, the extent of the decline depending in part upon the action of wheat growers in this and other countries. Even though the United States produces less than one-fourth of the world's wheat supplies

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# SIKESTON STANDARD

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Except that we might be suspected of trying to advance family interests, we would suggest our nephew, Harry C. Blanton of Sikeston, for attorney-general of Missouri on the Democratic ticket next time. Harry is one of the outstanding lawyers and political leaders of Southeast Missouri. A ticket with young men of his fine type would sweep the Democratic party back into power.—Paris Appeal.

While the Federal Government has been most liberal with their pension in certain instances, they should not overlook the Confederate soldiers who made it possible for tens of thousands of Union soldiers and their dependents to draw large pensions to keep them out of the poor house in their old age. Something ought to be done about this.

This is to inform the public that the publisher of The Standard does not require its employees to trade at any particular store, garage, oil stations, or the like. We pay them to perform certain duties in the office and they are free to trade where they please. This is likewise to inform tradesmen that The Standard sells space that they may place their wares before the buying public and they have no right to expect the publisher to order or even to request the employees to do their trading at any particular place. To inform the publisher that they do not advertise in The Standard because The Standard and the force do not patronize them, means that we will not be a free agent, therefore we decline to issue orders and perhaps carry no further advertising from certain places of business.

Miss Louise Sadler, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wiley Wilkerson, and Miss Emily Blanton, returned to her home in Malden, Saturday.

God's wisdom is beyond understanding. Children sent to bless marriage is usually the tie that binds, especially the first born. In large families where some of the children are grown, the last born is not welcomed by the older children, but this babe is most generally the one great comfort to the parents in their old age. Sometimes, too, we have heard of parents, who were not so proud of the new comer at first, but whose hearts warmed to the little fellow in its helplessness, and was their own consolation later in life. Thank God for these babes and thank God for the tie that binds.

It must be a hide-bound Republican farmer who can believe the high tariff bill recently enacted into law will benefit him. While everything the farmer has to sell, and will have to sell for sometime, is going down in price and nothing promising in the future, everything that he has had to buy is protected so high that no competition can enter. Therefore it will cost him more for sugar, shoes and clothes, and he will get less for what he has to sell. The farm relief means nothing and the farmer knows it. The farmer knows every country in the world will buy none of our surplus if it can be found anywhere else. And still the Hoover Prosperity goes marching on.

The best news over the week-end for this neighborhood was no accidents or killings. The worst news that we had no rain.

Sickness of the past several months has let over accounts get behind with advertisers, but now David Blanton will be with us until September 1 and will devote most of his time squaring up accounts. It is necessary for these bills to be collected, so be ready when called upon, or they will have to be assigned to an attorney to be collected, and this we do not wish to do.

The drouth, burning sun and hot winds have played hob with the hopes of farmers and town folks alike. Gardens, lawns and flower beds drying up is a disappointment, but is no such calamity as the drying up of the fields. Corn curling, peas doing no good at all and pastures as dry and dusty as the country lanes. The official weather forecaster is not even predicting "showers and cooler".

During the war the planet Venus was once bombarded by German artillery. The queen of planets had been mistaken for a Russian airship.

## SWIMMING POOL IS FREE FROM B. COLI SAYS REPORT OF COUNTY ENGINEER

Thad L. Stubbs, Scott County Sanitary Inspector, this week notified John Chaney, manager and owner of the Sikeston Natatorium, that water in the pool was free from B. Coli. His letter follows:

Following find reports on water samples collected from Natatorium June 26, 1930.

Sample collected from spigot at Northeast corner of pool is contaminated with B. Coli, numbering 50 B. Coli per cubic centimeter.

Sample collected from pool, which had been treated with chlorine, contains no B. Coli. This bacteriological analysis is positive proof of what true chlorination can do.

Anytime we can be of any service to you don't fail to let us know.

Very truly yours,

T. L. STUBBS,  
Scott County Sanitary Inspector.

## HITS WARNING SIGN TO AVOID TRAIN WRECK

Herman Fatterfield and wife of Dexter were driving east on Highway 60 early Friday morning, headed it seems for a Fourth of July celebration elsewhere. Driving at 2:38 a. m. gets mighty monotonous, and when Fatterfield looked up suddenly to find a speeding Sunnyland Frisco starting him in the face at the Sikeston west-end crossing, he deliberated only a second before turning his 1927 Chevrolet coach to the left and into an iron post supporting a "Warning—Danger, Railroad Crossing" sign.

The radiator and bumper were literally wrapped around the post, and the iron support was tilted at a rakish angle.

The Sunnyland coasted into the Sikeston station unharmed and unhurt, but Mrs. Fatterfield was considerably shaken up and cut by glass from the windshield. Dr. H. M. Kendrick treated her wounds, while Fatterfield arranged for transportation to Dexter for himself and the remains of his '27 model Chevrolet. Mrs. Fatterfield's injuries are not serious.

## BAPTISTS TO START TENT MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT

A two-week tent meeting fostered by the Agogoa Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will begin Tuesday, July 8, on the Ruth and Olive Street corner. Rev. A. C. Rudloff will be the minister in charge, and L. B. Jones will direct the song services. One member of the Brotherhood will lead the devotional each evening during the two-week service.

According to Rev. Rudloff, the tent meeting which recently closed, was exceptionally well attended, and it is hoped that similar response will be accorded the present meeting.

There will be no conflict whatever with regular church services nor with any of the affairs on the church calendar.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our nephew George Howell Vickrey, who departed this life three years ago July 11, 1927.

There is someone who misses you sadly and finds the time long since you went.

There is someone who thinks of you always and tries to be brave and content.

Gone is the face we loved so dear  
Silent the voice we loved to hear,  
'Tis sad but true we wonder why  
The best are always the first to die.

His aunt M. M. M.

Entire stock of spring and summer hats at half price.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Allard and family have returned home after spending the 4th of July in Illinois.

Mrs. Lon Ables, who has been a patient in Barnes' Hospital, St. Louis returned Sunday. We are sorry to report that her condition is not improved.

Miss Lillian Bone arrived Thursday from Monroe, La., to spend a 3-months vacation partly with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Bone of this city.

J. S. Cutrell is still improving, in some ways. He is stronger physically, and is getting the use of his right leg. He is strong enough to sit up for a while. His mind is also improving.

Oregon is to have a referendum on the question of prohibiting the sale of cigarettes. It would be well to obtain at the same time a vote that would indicate the most popular brand, so that if the State goes smokeless bootleggers will not have to waste their time importing what the market does not want.

# Let Us Help With Summer Menus

"It's just so hot, I don't know what to fix." . . . you've said the same thing many times this summer. We carry a complete line of cold meats for hot weather—and from time to time special items are on the market. Call 344 or have US call you, when the market affords something "different."

## Andres Meat Market We Give And Redeem Eagle Stamps

### NO MORE BASEBALL?

It's a case of more support or no baseball in Sikeston, according to Tom Malone and Mayor N. E. Fuchs, the two prime movers in that sport in Sikeston.

The situation is this: the last two games, the Cairo Fourth-of-July game and the Cambria demonstration Sunday lost the club between \$75 and \$100. Previous experience teaches the two Sikestonians mentioned that when pay off time comes at the end of the season they are called upon to deliver. Last year baseball paid out—thanks to promoting two carnivals. This year merchants and fans objected so strongly to carnivals that the projects were abandoned, although one outfit offered to lay \$500 in cash on the barrel head in advance.

The \$113.00 crowd Sunday is a disgrace to baseball in this city. Big Burrus worked under pressure. He was given his big chance against a club known throughout Southern Illinois for their slugging. Burry had more "stuff" Sunday than any imported \$50 man ever to grace the local diamond. Cambria looked bad and the fans turned their big guns on baseball promoters instead of giving their home town hurler a big hand. Even when he finished knocking a circuit clout into the adjoining county, there was no demonstration of appreciation. Osceola in contrast, made up a free will "pot" of \$10 for Tarver and Dickerman when these two batsmen scored homes two Sundays ago.

"Get better teams down here" is another objection raised. Malone and Fuchs answer, OK, get them here. Sikeston has played all teams agreeing to accept the local arrangement of 20 and 60 per cent to the home team. Patronage at games this season does not permit offering a guarantee of \$200 to \$400 to class A city clubs. It is hard to figure out how a guarantee of this amount can be offered when the total gate is less than the demanded guarantee. Malone and Fuchs do not feel like digging into their own pockets to make up the difference. The blanket offer of "getting better teams here" is open to any fan who will guarantee to give the locals a "real battle" attract a pay crowd and still remain within the guarantee demands.

Fans here demand class A baseball, and as a result, Manager Malone has gathered together a semi-pro all-star aggregation. Smetzer, Hudson, Miller, Kinder and usually the pitcher have been paid players; it costs money to play on Fairgrounds Park diamond, rent, gate protection, umpire costs, advertising and costs of baseballs and equipment must be met out of receipts.

Fans seem interested enough to criticize during the week. They are willing to see Sikeston place a class A team on the diamond, but they seem unwilling to turn out in sufficient numbers to make the sport pay out.

Two more games are scheduled. They will determine whether or not Sikeston will continue to play ball or not. A benefit game for Tuffy Crain is scheduled for Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Stores are asked to close at 4:00 o'clock so that all may attend, and show their respects to their late idol of gridiron and diamond. Malden and Sikeston players have agreed to play free of charge, and the gross receipts will go to assisting the Crain family in defraying hospital and funeral expenses of the late Tuffy.

The other game and possibly the last of the season, is scheduled with Gleason, Tenn., here next Sunday, July 13. Malone is in touch with Eddie Kerns, the lanky Cardinal youngster who let down a powerful Osceola Nine last season. If Eddie Kerns is unable to attract a crowd next Sunday, baseball as a major sport in Sikeston, is over. "They can think that over; talk up the sport here and support it, or do without baseball," is the way it was framed by Fuchs Monday morning.

When we recalled that Sikeston has defeated the all-star Memphis

## FIRE DESTOYS \$5000 BARN AND CONTENTS

Fire believed to have originated from new hay stored in a large barn in the south part of Morehouse, destroyed the \$5000 structure, 800 bales of hay, and farm machinery valued at \$2500 last Sunday night.

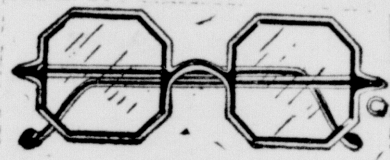
The barn is owned by the Fisher estate, but was rented to O. W. Atkinson, who lost his farm machinery, one cow and two pigs in the conflagration. The fire started about nine o'clock and was out of control before the flames attracted a crowd.

A number of Sikeston residents saw the flames here about 11 o'clock Sunday night. The mass of tightly pressed hay was still smoldering Monday morning.

According to Mrs. Glenn Fisher, insurance will cover about half of the estimated loss.

Special assortment of hats @ \$1 each.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Murphy, who came to Sikeston a few weeks ago to open the Atlantic and Pacific Store, left for Fredericktown Sunday, where they were to open a store for the same company. C. J. Matthews will be in charge of the local A. & P. Store.



## Eyes Need Regular Examination and Attention

Modern equipment plus scientific skill enables us to examine your eyes and, if necessary, fit them with the proper lens. There is no charge for examination. We also grind our own lens.

Dr. E. C. Long  
McCoy-Tanner Bldg.

## Middle Life Suffering



"THREE years ago, I was in bad health," says Mrs. J. B. Bean, of Kirbyville, Texas. "I was going through a critical time, and I suffered a lot."

"My back hurt almost all the time, and my legs and ankles ached. My head hurt me until sometimes I would be almost past going. As I had used Cardui before, and knew how much I had improved after taking it, I got a bottle and started taking it. I continued to use it for several months. After awhile I regained my health, and I feel that I could never have gotten through that awful time without Cardui."

**CARDUI**  
Helps Women to Health

Take Theford's Black-Draught for Constipation, Indigestion, Bilioiness. Costs only 1 cent a dose.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

R. T. West to J. C. Slinkard, lot 13 block 28 Chaffee, \$150.

Phillip Clack to W. M. Bull, lot 1 block 4 McCoy-Tanner 1st addition Sikeston, \$4000.

Spencer Love to Prudential Ins. Co., 325 acres 12-26-14, \$1.

Joe Sietman to Lyman Oliver, 40 acres 17-28-13, \$100.

N. A. Rickman to Everett Evins, lots 14-16 blk. 32 Chaffee, \$1000.

W. H. Hilleman to Chas. Bleas, lot 18 block 2 Hillemann addition Illmo. \$10.—Benton Democrat.

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Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wagner and daughter, Miss Geraldine, visited over the Fourth of July in Fredericktown.

The modern "flapper" in knee-high skirts was duplicated in her sisters that flourished 5000 years ago in Egypt, according to the discoveries of Selim Hassan, a famous Egyptian excavator, who has just unearthed the tomb of Tarsu Ankh, a prince and high priest of the third dynasty, which ruled Egypt about 7000 years ago. The discoveries include statues of the high priest, his wife and two daughters. The sky-blue dresses of the girls are low at the neck and short at the knee and their throats are encircled with jeweled necklaces.



## Men, Here's News

Very few laundry ads are directed to men. This one is. Have you noticed the difference in collars and shirts laundered by us?

And you bachelors—we sew on buttons!

Phone 165

The Sikeston Laundry  
Let the LAUNDRY do it

## Sikeston's Teenie Weenie

# GOLF COURSE

Located On Center St.  
(Across From Air Mist)

Most Popular Game In America  
Everyone Enjoys Playing

## EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT IS LADIES' NIGHT

Ladies must be accompanied by husbands or "boy friends." Gents pay—as usual.

THURSDAY NIGHTS ARE

## Tournament Nights

Valuable Prizes to Lady and Gentleman Having Low Score

JOIN THE HOLE-IN-ONE CLUB  
PLAY A ROUND FREE

## Malone Theatre Thursday and Friday July 10 and 11

Reckless Youth!  
Pleasure Madness!  
Song Hits and Romance!

THE PICTURE THAT STARTS IN WHERE "OUR MODERN MAIDENS" LEFT OFF!

## CHILDREN OF PLEASURE



with LAWRENCE GRAY BENNY RUBIN HELEN JOHNSON WYNNE GIBSON

Synchronized News and Talking Comedy  
"Don't Get Excited"

MATINEE FRIDAY AT 3 P. M.



## BIG BURRUS PITCHES ONE-HIT GAME, BLANKS CAMBRIA 8-0 IN SUNDAY CONTEST

Manager Malone's confidence in his home town hurling ace Burrus was not misplaced Sunday when the big fellow faced a battery of highly touted Cambria, Ill., baseball players. Burrus pitched no-hit baseball up to the seventh, and then allowed Brown a scratch hit to slightly mar the otherwise perfect afternoon. The locals pounded Simpson from the box in the 7th having collected 11 hits up to and including that frame, and then proceeded to get next to a youngster, Lee, for three hits and one run, winning the game in a walk 8-0.

The Cambria defense took a tumble on the first inning when Dowdy and Hudson pulled the old double steal gag and broke the ice with one run. Hudson trotted across the plate with the second tally when Bowman cracked out the third single of the frame. The visitors went down in 1-2-3 order in every inning except the second, sixth, seventh and ninth. In the second Smetzer muffed a throw from Burrus, allowing Elders to reach the first sack on an infield tap to pitcher. Elkins drew a walk in the sixth to break the 1-2-3 arrangement, and Brown in the next inning got on with a scratch hit. In the last inning, Mercer saw first, when Smoky Sutton, relief catcher, missed the third strike, and Brown drew a walk. Five Cambria players went to first during the game, and not one saw second base.

Burrus evidently took his game seriously for in the fourth, he proceeded to knock a five-gallon hole in Sensenbaugh's gas tank for the only home run of the game. He drove Shorty Crain across the plate with his long knock to centerfield. Shadowens made a play for the ball, but fell and turned a complete somersault while the ball continued in the general direction of Cape Girardeau County.

In the last two frames, Malone and Coach Dudley substituted freely. Sutton relieved Bowman behind the plate, "Mighty" Ancell replaced Kinder at second, and incidentally started in stopping a hot liner laid down by Brown, and Bob Mow, Jr., took Miller's place on the third sack. Bob received no chances.

Kindred replaced Dowdy in the fifth, got on first twice thru errors, but failed to score when Dudley promoted two attempted steals for put-outs to close the game.

Hudson and Miller co-operated on the second double steal of the after-

noon in the seventh. Hudson scored. Cambria "looked bad", according to some fans. So does Sikeston look bad when they face class A pitching, as for instance at Osceola, Ark., against Slim Love. "Rabbit" Elkins, Mercer, Elders and Lavezzie are old heads of the game, and each one is a Smetzer when it comes to knocking the ball. Those fans who sat behind the plate and who could see what Burrus was offering over the plate, will not wonder what made the old stars look ragged. Whenever a veteran like Bowman admits that his moundman has "more stuff than anyone he ever caught", it explains in part at least the one-hit record of Cambria, Sunday.

The score:  
Sikeston . . . . . 200 212 10- 8 14-  
Cambria . . . . . 000 000 000 0 1-3

The box score:  
Sikeston AB R H PO A E  
Kinder, 2b . . . . . 4 1 2 3 3 0  
Dowdy, cf . . . . . 3 1 1 0 0 0  
Ancell, 2b . . . . . 1 0 0 1 0 0  
Kindred, rf . . . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0  
Smetzer, 1b . . . . . 5 1 2 10 1  
Hudson, ss . . . . . 4 2 3 1 3 0  
Bowman, c . . . . . 4 0 1 10 0 0  
Sutton, c . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Miller, 3b . . . . . 4 0 1 1 2 0  
Swaim, rf, cf . . . . . 3 0 1 0 0 0  
Crain, lf . . . . . 4 1 1 2 0 0  
Burrus, p . . . . . 4 2 2 0 2 0

Cambria AB R H PO A E  
Elkins, ss . . . . . 3 0 0 1 4 0  
Mercer, 1b . . . . . 4 0 0 14 0 1  
Brown, lf . . . . . 3 0 1 2 1 0  
Elders, rf . . . . . 4 0 0 0 0 0  
Shadowens, cf . . . . . 4 0 0 2 0 0  
Lavezzie, 2b . . . . . 3 0 0 0 4 1  
Biggs, 3b . . . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0  
Gruber, 3b . . . . . 2 0 0 2 2 0  
Sargent, c . . . . . 1 0 1 0 0 0  
Leek, c . . . . . 2 0 2 0 1 0  
Simpson, p . . . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0  
Lee, p . . . . . 1 0 0 0 1 0

30 0 1 24 12 3

Gleason notified Manager Malone shortly before noon Monday that they would be unable to fill the Sunday engagement here. An effort was being made to secure the all-star Memphis Frisco Club here for Sunday in place of Gleason. Malone indicated, however, that if Memphis was unable to play here the benefit game for Crain would be held on Sunday instead of Friday as stated above.

## GLENN FISHER ILL WITH ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS

Glenn Fisher, manager of the Missouri State Grain Inspection Bureau, became ill with an attack of appendicitis last week and is at present confined to his home. Mrs. Fisher is attending to his duties as grain inspector here in his absence. She was of the opinion Monday morning that Glenn would have to undergo an operation in the near future to correct his ailment.

Special assortment of hats @ \$1 each.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson and family drove to Patton Sunday and visited the former's mother.

A 4th of July celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Lacom, 520 Kendall Street, Sikeston. The following enjoyed the day: Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Lacom and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Marcus and children of Bagg City, Charles Early of Poplar Bluff, Mrs. L. Mays and daughter, Miss Ada, and Russell Frohawk of Matthews, Mrs. Ina Gesting and children. Among the good eats were barbecue pig, furnished by Mrs. L. Mays. Also ice cream and other refreshments.

## THE MEDLEYS START HONEYMOON TRIP SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Duree Medley, recently married, started on a two-week combination business trip, vacation and honeymoon last Sunday night. "Pete" and his recently acquired bride will spend some time in Texas checking over a business proposition and will probably journey into Old Mexico on their honeymoon tour. In the absence of Manager Medley, O. W. McCutcheon, owner of the Sikeston showhouse, will be in charge.

Entire stock of spring and summer hats at half price.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson and son of Cape Girardeau and Byrne Sheppard and children, Harold and Dorothy of St. Louis, spent Sunday in Sikeston with Mrs. Robinson's and Mr. Sheppard's brother, J. N. Sheppard and family.

Mrs. Eddie Pancoast, who has been visiting Mrs. Norman Davis, left Thursday night for Kansas City, where she was met by her husband, who is an engineer on the State Highway. He is the engineer for a project up near the State of Iowa.

## EX-GRID STAR OF MADRID SHOT IN BACK

Linton L. Carrigan, 20, former high school football star of New Madrid, is in St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau today suffering from a gunshot wound in his back sustained Friday afternoon in the bottoms near New Madrid.

Officers are holding Joe Montague, 30, as the man who fired the shot. He is being held in jail at New Madrid pending the outcome of Carrigan's condition.

Mystery surrounds the shooting. Montague told officers who lodged him in jail that it was an accident, but he fled after the shooting occurred and was taken to New Madrid by Wm. Henley, who had gone with Carrigan and Montague on a squirrel hunting expedition into the woods.

Henley told officers he was not present at the time of the shooting, but heard the report and saw the smoke. When he reached the scene, he found Carrigan wounded and Montague missing.

Carrigan was struck in the back with shot from the shotgun, and it is thought 40 or 50 shot lodged in his back and neck. His condition, while serious, is not critical and he will recover unless complications develop.

Carrigan in telling of the shooting said he and Montague and others had gone squirrel hunting. They went into Birdie Masterson's place on St. John's Bayou, he said, and when they came out, Montague said, "I am going to shoot a firecracker." Before he could look around, Carrigan stated, he heard a report and felt the sting of shot from the shot gun, and felt blood when he put his hand to the back of his neck.

Sheriff A. F. Stanley, who investigated, found the automobile in which the men had gone hunting.

Carrigan, who after graduating from high school at New Madrid two years ago, attended the Murray, Ky. Teachers College last year, was in a Cape Girardeau hospital for several weeks last summer, for a time in a serious condition from a wound in his head inflicted when he was struck by a baseball bat during a ball game at Canalou. Charles Asa of Canalou was afterwards fined in connection with the incident.

Montague's parents are dead and he resides at New Madrid with a sister.

Carrigan's father is employed on a ferryboat at New Madrid.—Cape Missourian.

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Mrs. Ed Branum attended the funeral of Mr. Fuller in Portageville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Stearns of Lilbourn are the parents of a baby daughter. Mrs. Stearns is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Campbell of this city.

Miss Alice Roth of St. Louis returned to her home Sunday afternoon after spending the 4th of July with her brother, Arnold Roth and family, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Rodas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wilson and son, Little "T", returned home Sunday evening, after a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brady at Little Rock, Ark. Jasper Wilson will remain in Little Rock until the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phelps have been here for several days the guests of Mr. Phelps' mother, Mrs. Grover Keller. Jack is with the Pickwick Bus Service and headquarters at Memphis, Tenn. They have one of the finest babes to be found anywhere. Jack graduated from the Sikeston High School and Westminster College at Fulton, Mo., and it was in Fulton that he met and wed his wife.

## FRISCO MEMPHIS TEAM TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY, GLEASON CANCELS GAME MONDAY

A phone message Monday morning shortly before noon from Gleason, notified Manager Tom Malone that Gleason would be unable to fill its engagement with the locals here next Sunday.

The Frisco Club, pitching Ray Meadows, who two weeks ago pitched for Sikeston against Osceola, was defeated by Sikeston June 15 by a score of 3-2, after the locals had trailed during eight innings. A ninth inning rally boosted the home team over the top to snatch a belated victory from the visitors.

Gleason gave no explanation for their action in cancelling the game.

Malone is on a deal at present with Eddie Kerns, Cardinal youngster, who worked the Sikeston-Osceola all-star game last season. Fans here agree that Kerns pitched the best game of the season, and are anxious to see the youngster on the mound again for Sikeston. Definite announcement will be made Thursday if present plans mature.

A postponed benefit game for Tuffy Crain will be played on the home diamond next Friday evening, beginning at 4:30 o'clock, with Malden furnishing the opposition. Players on the Sikeston and visiting team have agreed to stand their personal expenses incident to playing the game here, so that the gross receipts can be turned over to the Crain family to help defray hospital and funeral expenses for the late gridiron and baseball star, Tuffy. Mayor Fuchs has requested that all stores close from 4 o'clock for the balance of the day, to assure a larger crowd at the game. "If everyone in town will talk up this benefit game, there is no reason for not turning over at least \$200 to the Crain family", said Fuchs in commenting on the game.

## APPRECIATE CHARLESTON RESPONSE TO LOCAL FIRE

The City of Sikeston and officials of the Scott County Milling Company are deeply grateful to the City of Charleston for the prompt response accorded the emergency call for help during the Monday noon-hour fire at Mill A. The City Council at its next regular meeting will instruct the clerk to send an official letter of thanks to the Charleston fire department and city officials, the milling company concurring, according to word received from Mayor Fuchs. Although the neighboring fire fighters were notified in time to assist materially in fighting the blaze, they made the run here in twenty-two minutes only to find that the fire had been placed under control.

J. N. Sheppard spent the Fourth in Cape Girardeau with relatives.

Entire stock of spring and summer hats at half price.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Wright of Memphis, Tenn., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Coleman.

E. E. Ward, of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., of Cairo, spent last week-end with his family, returning Monday morning.

Leonard McMullin and sons and Paul David Malone returned Saturday from a week's outing. The boys report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Tanner and little daughter, who came down from St. Louis the 4th of July, returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. C. E. Burrus of Seminole, Okla., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burrus of Sikeston and other relatives in Southeast Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Waller and Ralph Bailey spent the 4th of July at the Washout, near New Madrid.

For first class services call at Ike's Barber Shop at 108 N. Handy Street. Children's hair cut under 12 years of age 25c. Shampoo 25c, shave 15c. Your patronage will be highly appreciated. 2tpd.

Mr. and Mrs. "Pete" Medley left Sunday evening for Campbell, where they spent the night with Mr. Medley's parents. From there they left for points in Texas and Mexico on their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carroll had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. Jas. P. Hendon and daughter of Flint, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weeks and family of New Madrid and John and Ed Branum.

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## PURITIES FALL 8-6 IN JULY 4 BALL GAME

Although Lyle Gore, manager of the Cairo Purities had strengthened his club materially, the locals managed to bunch their hits and added an eight to six victory to their string.

Kinder, a Cape Girardeau youngster pitched for Sikeston and won the contest with remarkable fielding. Cairo used Ent, a local product who rates as one of the outstanding hurlers of the district.

Gore, who formerly played with the Sikeston team, starred in a spectacular double play. A back-hand stab pulled down a hard liner by Swaim and the nervy second sack-er fell on second base for a double out.

Special assortment of hats @ \$1 each.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer York visited friends and relatives in Parma, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Malone joined the latter's parents on the 4th of July and enjoyed their dinner in the hills.

Miss Doris Gilbert of Memphis, Tenn., came up Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gilbert.

Mrs. Walter Clymer and daughters and Miss Alma Harris, all of St. Louis, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cy Harris.

Mrs. Dunn of Chicago is spending her vacation in Sikeston with her parents. Mrs. Dunn was formerly Miss Margaret Hanner.

Mrs. Tom McClure and children left Tuesday for the home of her mother in Canada, where they will spend the balance of the summer.

Mrs. S. P. Johnson of Marion, Mrs. Dale Johnson and mother, Mrs. Lucas of Akron, Ohio, arrived Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson.

B. L. Lacom returned to St. Louis Saturday to his work with the R. J. Blackburn, Inc., of St. Louis. Mr. Lacom is a son-in-law of Mrs. L. Mays.

Mrs. Ruth Malone, Mrs. Kathryn Johnson, Miss Hyacinth Sheppard and Little Miss Lavinia Moll spent Thursday night and Friday in Cairo, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moll and family.

Ben and David Blanton came in Friday afternoon for a visit with homefolks. Ben returned to Jefferson City Sunday morning, while David will remain until September 1 when he will return to Columbia for his last year at the University.

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## NOONDAY FIRE THREATENS MILL 'A' DAMAGE CONFINED AFTER STRUGGLE TO SHEDS

Fire originating in the barrel storage shed in the Scott County Milling Company yards threatened for an hour to reach Mill "A" proper. Damages will run into the thousands of dollars from the conflagration which consumed seven tin-roofed sheds including the main sack house, containing flour and burlap sacks and mill supplies.

Sikeston was disturbed during the noon hour shortly after twelve o'clock by continued blasts from Mill "A" whistle, and soon several thousand persons were at the scene watching the uphill fight against wind and flames. Virgil Shanks, foreman of one of the mill departments, noticed the flames in the doorway of the old cooperage shop now used to store empty barrels and miscellaneous articles. He made a dash for the power house and turned in the alarm. Shanks was later overcome by heat, and was in the hands of Dr. T. C. McClure and friends shortly after one o'clock.

W. C. Bowman, president of the milling concern, stated that the necessary shutdown would be temporary in nature and that "we will be grinding flour again as soon as possible". From engineers in the power plant, it was learned that the boiler

and machines were not damaged, and that it was highly probable that the elevator and Mill "A" would again be running by nightfall Monday if not sooner.

The Scott County Milling Company plant is the largest industry in Sikeston and has one of the largest plants in the State located here.

Mr. Bowman paid a tribute to the dozens of regular and volunteer fire fighters who waded into the fight like veterans and prevented the blaze from reaching the main plant and elevator. The fireboys were working against odds. The flames started in the northwest corner of the yards and spread rapidly through the dry wooden buildings being fanned by a stiff wind from the northwest towards the huge mill proper. Only by directing their attack upon the main warehouse, and keeping two streams of water upon the roof of the adjoining power plant building were the flames checked before reaching the main building.

Soon after the alarm was turned in and when it appeared that the entire plant was doomed, calls were placed for Charleston and New Madrid fire trucks. The Charleston department responded but arrived too late to be effective.

## PRAYER MEETING FOR RAIN GOES UNANSWERED SUNDAY

Fifty or sixty Sikeston churchgoers gathered at the Baptist church after regular services at their respective churches Sunday night, and joined in a prayer meeting pleading for rain.

"Our plea was not answered directly", said Rev. A. C. Rudloff, pastor of the First Baptist church and promoter of the unique meeting, "but they did get a nice rain near Jackson and south of Sikeston, near Portageville."

Misses Ella and Della Harper were visitors to St. Louis, Sunday.

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E. E. Ward and family attended the Fourth of July celebration at Lilbourn with friends.

Mrs. Louis Kiersky, who has been on an extended visit in the South, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. L. Matthews spent Sunday in Caruthersville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thompson.

Little Miss Mary Alice Stanley of Parma is spending a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Homer York.

Mrs. Martin of Illinois is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young. Mrs. Martin was formerly Miss Grinstead of Cairo.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen drove to McLane, Ill., Sunday, accompanied by Mr. Allen's mother, where she will visit the balance of the summer.

Herschel W. Ward of Parma, assessor of New Madrid County, visited a few hours with his mother, Mrs. E. E. Ward and family, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stuppy and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ray have returned from Rector, Ark., where they spent their vacation with relatives and friends.

Mrs. T. N. Mathis and Mrs. F. H. H. Briggs entertained with a dinner July 4th, at the home of Mrs. Briggs, the occasion being the 18th birthday of their daughter and sister, Miss Juanita. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Limbaugh, Dr. and Mrs. Chester Limbaugh and little daughter, Betty and Mr. and Mrs. Miley Limbaugh spent the 4th of July in Marquand. S. J. Limbaugh returned with them and is visiting his son, R. E. Limbaugh and family.

## 4TH OF JULY BATTLE AT WHITE WATER CREEK

The editor of The Standard was one of 56 who enjoyed a picnic spread put on by the American Legion and the Woman's Auxiliary in the hills of Bollinger County July 4, and of 44 who remained for the supper spread. The place selected was beyond Lutesville and Marble Hill on White Water Creek where a pool of water 50x300 feet and 10 feet deep in one place, fed by a spring that kept the water as clear as crystal all the time. At Lutesville a truck was engaged—that carried ice, 10 cases of soda and 5 gallons of ice cream to the selected place. Many of the party enjoyed a plunge in the pool before the matrons spread the cloth and placed the good things to eat. Soon after 12:00 o'clock, Capt. Wheatley called on the hungry army to fall in line and march. The second order was not necessary and the onslaught of the plates of fried chicken, baked ham and roast beef was appalling. Though the lines were frequently charged, more meat took their place. With the meat course, salads, slaw, pickles and olives, disappeared rapidly, closely followed by a final charge on the cakes and ice cream. Gallons of ice tea and cold water were dashed on the enemy and so closed the battle at noon.

With reformed lines and a slight weakening of chicken platters, the second battle of the day was fought but with fewer charges as the aggressors were greatly weakened by the heavy fighting at the noon hour. Sufficient food was held in reserve for another meal if desired. The round trip was made in good shape and good time and all who were in attendance were tired and satisfied.

## Young Peoples' Society To Meet

The Young People's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of their sponsor, Mrs. M. M. Beck. A book report on "Between the Americas" will be given by Miss Virginia Mount. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Bone and daughters, Misses Lillian and Janice, Mrs. Alice Edmonson and Miss Lew Hall spent the Fourth in Eldorado, Ill., visiting with Mrs. Mary Hall and daughter, Carrie. Miss Lew Hall remained for a more extended visit.

# CLOSING NOTICE!!

Beginning Wednesday, July 9, the Cleaners of Sikeston will close their places of business at noon each Wednesday for the balance of the day during the months of JULY and AUGUST. Your cooperation in calling your cleaner Monday and Tuesday will be appreciated.

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## REJECTION OF HOOVER PROPOSALS EXPLAINED

Washington, July 2.—Rejection of certain Hoover proposals by the Senate was attributed tonight by Senator Caraway, Democrat, Arkansas, to advocacy by the chief executive of "measures which a majority of the Senate, quite regardless of party, did not consider wise or expedient."

"Any other hypothesis," he said in a statement issued through the Democratic National Committee, "would have to be on the basis that the

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## SKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

ISSUED TUESDAY AND FRIDAY  
AT SKESTON, MISSOURIEntered at the Postoffice at Skeston,  
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adjoining counties.....\$ 1.50  
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Except that we might be suspected of trying to advance family interests, we would suggest our nephew, Harry C. Blanton of Skeston, for attorney-general of Missouri on the Democratic ticket next time. Harry is one of the outstanding lawyers and political leaders of Southeast Missouri. A ticket with young men of his fine type would sweep the Democratic party back into power.—Paris Appeal.

While the Federal Government has been most liberal with their pension in certain instances, they should not overlook the Confederate soldiers who made it possible for tens of thousands of Union soldiers and their dependents to draw large pensions to keep them out of the poor house in their old age. Something ought to be done about this.

This is to inform the public that the publisher of The Standard does not require its employees to trade at any particular store, garage, oil stations, or the like. We pay them to perform certain duties in the office and they are free to trade where they please. This is likewise to inform tradesmen that The Standard sells space that they may place their wares before the buying public and they have no right to expect the publisher to order or even to request the employees to do their trading at any particular place. To inform the publisher that they do not advertise in The Standard because The Standard and the force do not patronize them, means that we will not be a free agent, therefore we decline to issue orders and perhaps carry no further advertising from certain places of business.

Miss Lousine Sadler, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wiley Wilkerson, and Miss Emily Blanton, returned to her home in Malden, Saturday.

God's wisdom is beyond understanding. Children sent to bless marriage is usually the tie that binds, especially is the first born. In large families where some of the children are grown, the last born is not welcomed by the older children, but this babe is most generally the one great comfort to the parents in their old age. Sometimes, too, we have heard of parents, who were not so proud of the new comer at first, but whose hearts warmed to the little fellow in its helplessness, and was their own consolation later in life. Thank God for these babes and thank God for the tie that binds.

It must be a hide-bound Republican farmer who can believe the high tariff bill recently enacted into law will benefit him. While everything the farmer has to sell, and will have to sell for sometime, is going down in price and nothing promising in the future, everything that he has had to buy is protected so high that no competition can enter. Therefore it will cost him more for sugar, shoes and clothes, and he will get less for what he has to sell. The farm relief means nothing and the farmer knows it. The farmer knows every country in the world will buy none of our surplus if it can be found anywhere else. And still the Hoover Prosperity goes marching on.

The best news over the week-end for this neighborhood was no accidents or killings. The worst news that we had no rain.

Sickness of the past several months has let over accounts get behind with advertisers, but now David Blanton will be with us until September 1 and will devote most of his time squaring up accounts. It is necessary for these bills to be collected, so be ready when called upon, or they will have to be assigned to an attorney to be collected, and this we do not wish to do.

The drouth, burning sun and hot winds have played hob with the hopes of farmers and town folks alike. Gardens, lawns and flower beds drying up is a disappointment, but is no such calamity as the drying up of the fields. Corn curling, peas doing no good at all and pastures as dry and dusty as the country lanes. The official weather forecaster is not even predicting "showers and cooler".

During the war the planet Venus was once bombarded by German artillery. The queen of planets had been mistaken for a Russian airship.

SWIMMING POOL IS FREE  
FROM B. COLI SAYS REPORT  
OF COUNTY ENGINEER

Thad L. Stubbs, Scott County Sanitary Inspector, this week notified John Chaney, manager and owner of the Skeston Natatorium, that water in the pool was free from B. Coli. His letter follows:

Following find reports on water samples collected from Natatorium June 26, 1930.

Sample collected from spigot at Northeast corner of pool is contaminated with B. Coli, numbering 50 B. Coli per cubic centimeter.

Sample collected from pool, which had been treated with chlorine, contains no B. Coli. This bacteriological analysis is positive proof of what true chlorination can do.

Anytime we can be of any service to you don't fail to let us know.

Very truly yours,

T. L. STUBBS,  
Scott County Sanitary Inspector.

HITS WARNING SIGN  
TO AVOID TRAIN WRECK

Herman Fatterfield and wife of Dexter were driving east on Highway 60 early Friday morning, headed it seems for a Fourth of July celebration elsewhere. Driving at 2:38 a. m. gets mighty monotonous, and when Fatterfield looked up suddenly to find a speeding Sunnyland Frisco starring him in the face at the Skeston west-end crossing, he deliberated only a second before turning his 1927 Chevrolet coach to the left and into an iron post supporting a "Warning—Danger, Railroad Crossing" sign.

The radiator and bumper were literally wrapped around the post, and the iron support was tilted at a rakish angle.

The Sunnyland coasted into the Skeston station unharmed and unhurt, but Mrs. Fatterfield was considerably shaken up and cut by glass from the windshield. Dr. H. M. Kendrick treated her wounds, while Fatterfield arranged for transportation to Dexter for himself and the remains of his '27 model Chevrolet. Mrs. Fatterfield's injuries are not serious.

BAPTISTS TO START TENT  
MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT

A two-week tent meeting fostered by the Agogoa Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will begin Tuesday, July 8, on the Ruth and Olive Street corner. Rev. A. C. Rudloff will be the minister in charge, and L. B. Jones will direct the song services. One member of the Brotherhood will lead the devotional each evening during the two-week service.

According to Rev. Rudloff, the tent meeting which recently closed, was exceptionally well attended, and it is hoped that similar response will be accorded the present meeting.

There will be no conflict whatever with regular church services nor with any of the affairs on the church calendar.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our nephew George Howell Vickrey, who departed this life three years ago July 11, 1927.

There is someone who misses you sadly and finds the time long since you went.

There is someone who thinks of you always and tries to be brave and content.

Gone is the face we loved so dear  
Silent the voice we loved to hear,  
'Tis sad but true we wonder why  
The best are always the first to die.  
His aunt M. M. M.

Entire stock of spring and summer hats at half price.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Allard and family have returned home after spending the 4th of July in Illinois.

Mrs. Lon Ables, who has been a patient in Barnes' Hospital, St. Louis returned Sunday. We are sorry to report that her condition is not improved.

Miss Lillian Bone arrived Thursday from Monroe, La., to spend a 3-months vacation partly with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Bone of this city.

J. S. Cutrell is still improving, in some ways. He is stronger physically, and is getting the use of his right leg. He is strong enough to sit up for a while. His mind is also improving.

Oregon is to have a referendum on the question of prohibiting the sale of cigarettes. It would be well to obtain at the same time a vote that would indicate the most popular brand, so that if the State goes smokeless bootleggers will not have to waste their time importing what the market does not want.

Let Us Help  
With Summer Menus

"It's just so hot, I don't know what to fix." . . . you've said the same thing many times this summer. We carry a complete line of cold meats for hot weather—and from time to time special items are on the market. Call 344 or have US call you, when the market affords something "different."

Andres Meat Market We Give And Redeem  
Eagle Stamps

## NO MORE BASEBALL?

It's a case of more support or no baseball in Skeston, according to Tom Malone and Mayor N. E. Fuchs, the two prime movers in that sport in Skeston.

The situation is this: the last two games, the Cairo Fourth-of-July game and the Cambria demonstration Sunday lost the club between \$75 and \$100. Previous experience teaches the two Skestonians mentioned that when pay off time comes at the end of the season they are called upon to deliver. Last year baseball paid out—thanks to promoting two carnivals. This year merchants and fans objected so strongly to carnivals that the projects were abandoned, although one outfit offered to lay \$500 in cash on the barrel head in advance.

The \$113.00 crowd Sunday is a disgrace to baseball in this city. Big Burrus worked under pressure. He was given his big chance against a club known throughout Southern Illinois for their slugging. Burry had more "stuff" Sunday than any imported \$50 man ever to grace the local diamond. Cambria looked bad and the fans turned their big guns on baseball promoters instead of giving their home town hurler a big hand. Even when he finished knocking a circuit clout into the adjoining county, there was no demonstration of appreciation. Osceola in contrast, made up a free will "pot" of \$10 for Tarver and Dickerman when these two batsmen scored homes two Sundays ago.

"Get better teams down here" is another objection raised. Malone and Fuchs answer, OK, get them here. Skeston has played all teams agreeing to accept the local arrangement of 20 and 60 per cent to the home team. Patronage at games this season does not permit offering a guarantee of \$200 to \$400 to class A city clubs. It is hard to figure out how a guarantee of this amount can be offered when the total gate is less than the demanded guarantee. Malone and Fuchs do not feel like digging into their own pockets to make up the difference. The blanket offer of "getting better teams here" is open to any fan who will guarantee to give the locals a "real battle" attract a pay crowd and still remain within the guarantee demands.

Fans here demand class A baseball, and as a result, Manager Malone has gathered together a semi-pro all-star aggregation. Smetzer, Hudson, Miller, Kinder and usually the pitcher have been paid players; it costs money to play on Fairgrounds Park diamond, rent, gate protection, umpire costs, advertising and costs of baseballs and equipment must be met out of receipts.

Fans seem interested enough to criticize during the week. They are willing to see Skeston place a class A team on the diamond, but they seem unwilling to turn out in sufficient numbers to make the sport pay out.

Two more games are scheduled. They will determine whether or not Skeston will continue to play ball or not. A benefit game for Tuffy Crain is scheduled for Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Stores are asked to close at 4:00 o'clock so that all may attend, and show their respects to their late idol of gridiron and diamond. Malden and Skeston players have agreed to play free of charge, and the gross receipts will go to assisting the Crain family in defraying hospital and funeral expenses of the late Tuffy.

The other game and possibly the last of the season, is scheduled with Gleason, Tenn., here next Sunday, July 13. Malone is in touch with Eddie Kerns, the lanky Cardinal youngster who let down a powerful Osceola Nine last season. If Eddie Kerns is unable to attract a crowd next Sunday, baseball as a major sport in Skeston, is over. "They can think that over; talk up the sport here and support it, or do without baseball," is the way it was framed by Fuchs Monday morning.

When we recalled that Skeston has defeated the all-star Memphis

Frisco Nine, Osceola, a paid team and a good one, Cambria and a loaded Cairo outfit. . . . we add a fervent amen.

FIRE DESTOYS \$5000  
BARN AND CONTENTS

Fire believed to have originated from new hay stored in a large barn in the south part of Morehouse, destroyed the \$5000 structure, 800 bales of hay, and farm machinery valued at \$2500 last Sunday night.

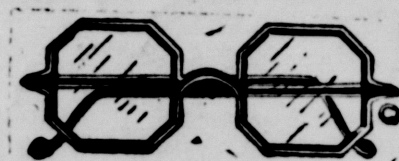
The barn is owned by the Fisher estate, but was rented to O. W. Atkinson, who lost his farm machinery, one cow and two pigs in the conflagration. The fire started about nine o'clock and was out of control before the flames attracted a crowd.

A number of Skeston residents saw the flames here about 11 o'clock Sunday night. The mass of tightly pressed hay was still smoldering Monday morning.

According to Mrs. Glenn Fisher, insurance will cover about half of the estimated loss.

Special assortment of hats @ \$1 each.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Murphy, who came to Skeston a few weeks ago to open the Atlantic and Pacific Store, left for Fredericktown Sunday, where they were to open a store for the same company. C. J. Matthews will be in charge of the local A. & P. Store.

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Middle Life  
Suffering

"Three years ago, I was in bad health," says Mrs. J. B. Bean, of Kirbyville, Texas. "I was going through a critical time, and I suffered a lot. My back hurt almost all the time, and my legs and ankles ached. My head hurt me until sometimes I would be almost past going. As I had used Cardui before, and knew how much I had improved after taking it, I got a bottle and started taking it. I continued to use it for several months. After awhile I regained my health, and I feel that I could never have gotten through that awful time without Cardui."

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## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

R. T. West to J. C. Slinkard, lot 13 block 28 Chaffee, \$150.

Phillip Clack to W. M. Bull, lot 1 block 4 McCoy-Tanner 1st addition Skeston. \$4000.

Spencer Love to Prudential Ins. Co., 325 acres 12-26-14, \$1.

Joe Sietman to Lyman Oliver, 40 acres 17-28-13, \$100.

N. A. Rickman to Everett Evins, lots 14-16 blk. 32 Chaffee. \$1000.

W. H. Hilleman to Chas. Bleas, lot 18 block 2 Hillemann addition Illmo. \$10.—Benton Democrat.

Special assortment of hats @ \$1 each.—Elite Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wagner and daughter, Miss Geraldine, visited over the Fourth of July in Fredericktown.

The modern "flapper" in knee-high skirts was duplicated in her sisters that flourished 5000 years ago in Egypt, according to the discoveries of Selim Hassan, a famous Egyptian excavator, who has just unearthed the tomb of Tarsu Ankh, a prince and high priest of the third dynasty, which ruled Egypt about 7000 years ago. The discoveries include statues of the high priest, his wife and two daughters. The sky-blue dresses of the girls are low at the neck and short at the knee and their throats are encircled with jeweled necklaces.



## Men, Here's News

Very few laundry ads are directed to men. This one is. Have you noticed the difference in collars and shirts laundered by us?

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Teenie Weenie

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